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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

- 1-30. (canceled)
- 31-36. (not entered)
- 37. (previously presented) An intravascular guidewire, comprising:

an elongate shaft having a proximal portion and a distal portion, the proximal portion comprising a solid wire which tapers distally, the distal portion having a distal end portion including a radiopaque coil tip disposed at the distal end portion; and

- a plurality of radiopaque markers disposed on the shaft proximal of the coil tip, the markers defining a plurality of 1.5 cm longitudinal spaces therebetween.
- 38. (previously presented) The intravascular guidewire of claim 37, wherein the radiopaque markers are 1 mm wide.
 - 39-42. (canceled)